

PHYSICAL THERAPY BOARD OF CALIFORNIA Consumer Protection Services Program



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May 10, 2007

Citation No. 06-07-0223

David L. Speakman, DC 3180 Willow Lane, Suite 122 Thousand Oaks, CA 91361

CITATION

Investigation of a complaint submitted revealed actions taken by you which violate sections of the law regulating the practice of physical therapy.

A Citation is hereby issued to you in accordance with Section 125.9 of the Business and Professions Code for the violations described below.

FIRST CAUSE FOR CITATION

Business and Professions Code Section 651

It is unlawful for any person licensed under this division or under any initiative act referred to in this division to disseminate or cause to be disseminated any form of public communication containing a false, fraudulent, misleading, or deceptive statement, claim, or image for the purpose of or likely to induce, directly or indirectly, the rendering of professional services or furnishing of products in connection with the professional practice or business for which he or she is licensed......

You are subject to a citation and fine under B&P Code Section 651. As of March 15, 2007, your website makes statements such as, but not limited to:

"He is state licensed to perform all aspects of physical therapy, and is certified in corporate and individual ergonomic training."

"We have been trained and are licensed to perform all aspects of physical therapy."

"Dr. Speakman is licensed to perform all physical therapy services."

This website contains misrepresentations of facts, as you are not licensed in the State of California as a Physical Therapist.

ORDER

Further, **you are ordered to pay a fine of \$500.00** to the Physical Therapy Board of California within thirty (30) days of the date of issuance of the citation or assessment.

If you wish to contest the Informal Conference Decision, you may, within thirty (30) days of the date of issuance of the citation or assessment, request a <u>formal</u> administrative hearing before an administrative law judge under the Administrative Procedure Act.

FAILURE TO RETURN THE REQUEST FOR AN ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING WITHIN THE TIME INDICATED WILL CONSTITUTE A WAIVER OF YOUR RIGHT TO ADMINISTRATIVE CONTEST OR APPEAL THIS CIATION.

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FOR YOUR PROTECTION AND TO ASSURE PROPER CREDIT,
PLEASE RETURN THE COPY OF THE CITATION
AND NOTE THE CITATION NUMBER ON YOUR CHECK
OR MONEY ORDER.

May 10, 2007	
Date	
	Original Signed By:
	STEVEN K. HARTZELL
	Executive Officer



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ORDER OF ABATEMENT

May 10, 2007

Citation Against: David L. Speakman, DC Citation No. 06-07-0223

Item No. 1

Violations: Business and Professions Code Section 651.

Description:

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Order of Correction

You are hereby ordered to abate this violation immediately and to cease and desist from further violation.

Failure to comply with the provisions of this Citation and Order of Abatement within thirty (30) days of receipt may result in further legal action.